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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Box Missing Parts Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), to extend the time for response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office dated May 7, 1999. This extension will extend the time the response is due from June 7, 1999 to August 7, 1999.

- A two month extension is requested; the extension fee is \$190.00.
- A check in the amount of \$190.00 is attached.

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this petition, or to credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 03-1952** referencing docket no. 402162000200. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: July 23, 1999

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